

**MATHEMATICS Extended Part**  
**Module 2 (Algebra and Calculus)**  
**Question-Answer Book**

8.30 am – 11.00 am (2½ hours)  
This paper must be answered in English

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- (1) After the announcement of the start of the examination, you should first write your Candidate Number in the space provided on Page 1 and stick barcode labels in the spaces provided on Pages 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 and 13.
- (2) This paper consists of TWO sections, A and B.
- (3) Attempt ALL questions in this paper. Write your answers in the spaces provided in this Question-Answer Book. Do not write in the margins. Answers written in the margins will not be marked.
- (4) Graph paper and supplementary answer sheets will be supplied on request. Write your Candidate Number, mark the question number box and stick a barcode label on each sheet, and fasten them with string INSIDE this book.
- (5) Unless otherwise specified, all working must be clearly shown.
- (6) Unless otherwise specified, numerical answers must be exact.
- (7) No extra time will be given to candidates for sticking on the barcode labels or filling in the question number boxes after the 'Time is up' announcement.

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2. Let  $(1+ax)^8 = \sum_{k=0}^8 \lambda_k x^k$  and  $(b+x)^9 = \sum_{k=0}^9 \mu_k x^k$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are constants. It is given that  $\lambda_2 : \mu_7 = 7 : 4$  and  $\lambda_1 + \mu_8 + 6 = 0$ . Find  $a$ . (5 marks)

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3.  $P$  is a point lying on  $AB$  such that  $AP:PB = 3:2$ . Let  $\overrightarrow{OA} = \mathbf{a}$  and  $\overrightarrow{OB} = \mathbf{b}$ , where  $O$  is the origin.

(a) Express  $\overrightarrow{OP}$  in terms of  $\mathbf{a}$  and  $\mathbf{b}$ .

(b) It is given that  $|\mathbf{a}| = 45$ ,  $|\mathbf{b}| = 20$  and  $\cos \angle AOB = \frac{1}{4}$ . Find

(i)  $\mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$ ,

(ii)  $|\overrightarrow{OP}|$ .

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4. (a) Using integration by parts, find  $\int x^2 e^{-x} dx$ .
- (b) Find the area of the region bounded by the graph of  $y = x^2 e^{-x}$ , the  $x$ -axis and the straight line  $x = 6$ .

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5. Consider the following system of linear equations in real variables  $x, y, z$

$$(E): \begin{cases} x + 2y - z = 11 \\ 3x + 8y - 11z = 49, \text{ where } h, k \in \mathbb{R} . \\ 2x + 3y + hz = k \end{cases}$$

- (a) Assume that  $(E)$  has a unique solution.
- (i) Find the range of values of  $h$ .
- (ii) Express  $z$  in terms of  $h$  and  $k$ .
- (b) Assume that  $(E)$  has infinitely many solutions. Solve  $(E)$ .

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7. (a) Prove that  $\sin 3x = 3 \sin x - 4 \sin^3 x$ .

(b) Let  $\frac{\pi}{4} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

(i) Prove that  $\frac{\sin 3\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)}{\sin\left(x - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)} = \frac{\cos 3x + \sin 3x}{\cos x - \sin x}$ .

(ii) Solve the equation  $\frac{\cos 3x + \sin 3x}{\cos x - \sin x} = 2$ .

(8 marks)

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8. Let  $f(x)$  be a continuous function defined on  $\mathbf{R}^+$ , where  $\mathbf{R}^+$  is the set of positive real numbers. Denote the curve  $y = f(x)$  by  $\Gamma$ . It is given that  $\Gamma$  passes through the point  $P(e^3, 7)$  and  $f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} \ln x^2$  for all  $x > 0$ . Find

- (a) the equation of the tangent to  $\Gamma$  at  $P$ ,
- (b) the equation of  $\Gamma$ ,
- (c) the point(s) of inflexion of  $\Gamma$ .

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10.  $ABC$  is a triangle.  $D$  is the mid-point of  $AC$ .  $E$  is a point lying on  $BC$  such that  $BE:EC = 1:r$ .  $AB$  produced and  $DE$  produced meet at the point  $F$ . It is given that  $DE:EF = 1:10$ . Let  $\vec{OA} = 2\mathbf{i} + 3\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ ,  $\vec{OB} = 4\mathbf{i} + 4\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{k}$  and  $\vec{OC} = 8\mathbf{i} - 3\mathbf{j} - 2\mathbf{k}$ , where  $O$  is the origin.

(a) By expressing  $\vec{AE}$  and  $\vec{AF}$  in terms of  $r$ , find  $r$ . (4 marks)

(b) (i) Find  $\vec{AD} \cdot \vec{DE}$ .

(ii) Are  $B$ ,  $D$ ,  $C$  and  $F$  concyclic? Explain your answer.

(5 marks)

(c) Let  $\vec{OP} = 3\mathbf{i} + 10\mathbf{j} - 4\mathbf{k}$ . Denote the circumcentre of  $\triangle BCF$  by  $Q$ . Find the volume of the tetrahedron  $ABPQ$ . (3 marks)

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11. (a) Using  $\tan^{-1} \sqrt{2} - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \right)$ , evaluate  $\int_0^1 \frac{1}{x^2 + 2x + 3} dx$ . (3 marks)

(b) (i) Let  $0 \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$ . Prove that  $\frac{2 \tan \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \sin 2\theta$  and  $\frac{1 - \tan^2 \theta}{1 + \tan^2 \theta} = \cos 2\theta$ .

(ii) Using the substitution  $t = \tan \theta$ , evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1}{\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta + 2} d\theta$ .

(5 marks)

(c) Prove that  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\sin 2\theta + 1}{\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta + 2} d\theta = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{\cos 2\theta + 1}{\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta + 2} d\theta$ . (2 marks)

(d) Evaluate  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{8 \sin 2\theta + 9}{\sin 2\theta + \cos 2\theta + 2} d\theta$ . (3 marks)

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(i) Define  $P = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ . Evaluate  $P^{-1}BP$ .

- (8 marks)

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